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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

WILLIAM M. EPPARD ET AL

U.S. Serial No. 10/797,033

Group Art Unit 3641

Filed: March 11, 2004

M. Clement, Examiner

HUNTER'S SHOOTING REST AND  
METHOD OF USING SAMECommissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is ~~an amendment~~ / a response in the above-  
identified application. No additional fee is required. An additional fee is required as calculated below -

Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	<u>Small Entity</u>		<u>Other Than A Small Entity</u>	
			Addnl. Rate	Fee	Rate	Fee
Total	Minus *		x \$ 25	\$ _____	x\$ 50	\$ _____
Indep	Minus *		x \$100	\$ _____	x\$200	\$ _____
First Presentation of Mul Dep Claim.....			x \$180	\$ _____	x\$360	\$ _____
Total Additional Fee.....				\$ _____	.....	\$ _____

\* The "Highest Number Previously Paid For" (Total or Independent) is the highest number of claims filed originally or highest number found from equivalent box of a prior amendment.

 This response is being filed within the period for response. Applicant(s) hereby petition for an extension from the date of the Examiner's Action as follows:

First-Month Extension.....	\$ 60.00 / \$ 120.00
Second-Month Extension.....	\$ 225.00 / \$ 450.00
Third-Month Extension.....	\$ 510.00 / \$1020.00

 Small entity status of this application has been established.

A Check in the amount of \$ -0- is attached hereto. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-3690 of the undersigned attorney. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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R E S P O N S E

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the official action mailed  
May 24, 2005.

The Examiner has required restriction under 35  
U.S.C. §121 to a single species from each group of the  
following:

A. Mounting Bracket - Figure 4 embodiment  
- Figure 8 embodiment;

B. Pivot Arm - Figure 5 embodiment  
- Figure 6 embodiment  
- Figure 7 embodiment.

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Applicants hereby elect the embodiment of Figure 8 in Group A, and the embodiment of Figure 7 in Group B. The embodiments of Figures 8 and 7 read on all claims pending, i.e., 1-2, 4-11, 18, 20 and 22.

Favorable consideration of the application is requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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